

CHAPTER 51

WOOL, FINE OR COARSE ANIMAL HAIR;
HORSEHAIR YARN AND WOVEN FABRIC

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Note

1. Throughout the tariff schedule:
 - (a) "Wool" means the natural fiber grown by sheep or lambs;
 - (b) "Fine animal hair" means the hair of alpaca, llama, vicuna, camel, yak, Angora, Tibetan, Kashmir or similar goats (but not common goats), rabbit (including Angora rabbit), hare, beaver, nutria or muskrat; and
 - (c) "Coarse animal hair" means the hair of animals not mentioned above, excluding brush-making hair and bristles (heading 0502) and horsehair (heading 0503).

Additional U.S. Notes

1. For the purposes of headings 5101, 5102, 5103 and 5104, regarding any package containing wool or fine animal hair subject to different rates of duty, notwithstanding the rates of duty shown, the column 1 rate of duty is the highest column 1 rate applicable to any part of the contents of the package comprising not less than 10 percent thereof by weight and the column 2 rate of duty is the highest column 2 rate applicable to any part of the contents of the package comprising not less than 10 percent thereof by weight.
2. For the purposes of this chapter:
 - (a) The term "clean kg" in the rate columns means kilogram of clean yield;
 - (b) The term "clean yield," except for purposes of carbonized fibers, means the absolute clean content (i.e., all that portion of the merchandise which consists exclusively of wool or hair free of all vegetable and other foreign material, containing by weight 12 percent of moisture and 1.5 percent of material removable from the wool or hair by extraction with alcohol, and having an ash content of not over 0.5 percent by weight), less an allowance, equal by weight to 0.5 percent of the absolute clean content plus 60 percent of the vegetable matter present, but not exceeding 15 percent by weight of the absolute clean content, for wool or hair that would ordinarily be lost during commercial cleaning operations; **[and]**
 - (c) For purposes of carbonized fibers, the term "clean yield" means in the condition as entered[.]

*** [Compiler's Note: Because the provisions for wool for special uses have been removed from Customs Service regulations and this product is not separately treated in the Wool Products Labelling Act or the regulations of the Federal Trade Commission, it is proposed that this note and the corresponding U.S. subheadings be deleted from the HTS.]

*** (d) The term "unimproved wool" means Aleppo, Arabian, Bagdad, Black Spanish, Chinese, Cordova, Cyprus, Donskoi, East Indian, Ecuadorean, Egyptian, Georgian, Haslock, Iceland, Karakul, Kerry, Manchurian, Mongolian, Oporto, Persian, Pyrenean, Sardinian, Scotch Blackface, Sistan, Smyrna, Sudan, Syrian, Tibetan, Turkestan, Valparaiso or Welsh Mountain wool and similar wool not improved by the admixture of merino or English blood; and

*** (e) The standards for determining grades of wool shall be those which are established from time to time by the Secretary of Agriculture pursuant to law and which are in effect on the date of importation of the wool.

*** [Compiler's Note: These two subdivisions have been redesignated due to the removal of former subdivision (d).]

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Heading/ Subheading	Article Description	Rates of Duty		
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		General	Special	
5101	Wool, not carded or combed:			
	Greasy, including fleece-washed wool:			
5101.11	Shorn wool:			
5101.11.25	Unimproved wool; other wool, not finer than 46s	Free		77.2¢/clean kg
5101.11.60	Other	18.7¢/clean kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	77.2¢/clean kg
5101.19	Other:			
5101.19.25	Unimproved wool; other wool, not finer than 46s	Free		77.2¢/clean kg
5101.19.60	Other	18.7¢/clean kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	77.2¢/clean kg
	Degreased, not carbonized:			
5101.21	Shorn wool:			
	Not processed in any manner beyond the degreased condition:			
5101.21.25	Unimproved wool; other wool, not finer than 46s	Free		81.6¢/clean kg
5101.21.40	Other	20.6¢/clean kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	81.6¢/clean kg
5101.21.80	Other	Free		81.6¢/kg + 20%
5101.29	Other:			
	Not processed in any manner beyond the degreased condition:			
5101.29.25	Unimproved wool; other wool, not finer than 46s	Free		81.6¢/clean kg
5101.29.40	Other	20.6¢/clean kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	81.6¢/clean kg
5101.29.80	Other	Free		81.6¢/kg + 20%
5101.30	Carbonized:			
	Not processed in any manner beyond the carbonized condition:			
5101.30.25	Unimproved wool; other wool, not finer than 46s	Free		97¢/kg
5101.30.40	Other	24.4¢/clean kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	97¢/kg
5101.30.80	Other	Free		81.6¢/kg + 20%
5102	Fine or coarse animal hair, not carded or combed:			
5102.10	Fine animal hair:			
5102.10.25	Not processed in any manner beyond the degreased or carbonized condition	5¢/clean kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	55¢/clean kg
	Other:			
5102.10.80	Fur, prepared for hatters' use	Free		35%
5102.10.90	Other	4.9¢/clean kg	Free (CA,IL,MX)	81.6¢/kg + 20%
5102.20.00	Coarse animal hair	Free		Free

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		General	Special	
5103	Waste of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair, including yarn waste but excluding garnetted stock:			
5103.10.00	Noils of wool or of fine animal hair	2.6¢/kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	50.7¢/kg
5103.20.00	Other waste of wool or of fine animal hair	2.6¢/kg	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	55.1¢/kg
5103.30.00	Waste of coarse animal hair	7%	Free (CA,E,IL, J,MX)	30%
5104.00.00	Garnetted stock of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair	Free		57.3¢/kg
5105	Wool and fine or coarse animal hair, carded or combed (including combed wool in fragments):			
5105.10.00	Carded wool	6.5¢/kg + 5.3%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	81.6¢/kg + 20%
5105.21.00	Wool tops and other combed wool: Combed wool in fragments	3.7¢/kg + 3%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	81.6¢/kg + 20%
5105.29.00	Other	3.9¢/kg + 3.1%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	81.6¢/kg + 20%
5105.30.00	Fine animal hair, carded or combed	6.8¢/kg + 5.5%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	81.6¢/kg + 20%
5105.40.00	Coarse animal hair, carded or combed	Free		20%
5106	Yarn of carded wool, not put up for retail sale:			
5106.10.00	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of wool	6%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%
5106.20.00	Containing less than 85 percent by weight of wool	6%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%
5107	Yarn of combed wool, not put up for retail sale:			
5107.10.00	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of wool	6%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%
5107.20.00	Containing less than 85 percent by weight of wool	6%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%
5108	Yarn of fine animal hair (carded or combed), not put up for retail sale:			
5108.10.00	Carded	4%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%
5108.20.00	Combed	4%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%
5109	Yarn of wool or of fine animal hair, put up for retail sale:			
5109.10	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of wool or of fine animal hair:			
5109.10.20	Yarn of wool, colored (dyed or printed) and cut into uniform lengths of not over 8 cm	Free		Free
5109.10.80	Other	4%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%
5109.90	Other:			
5109.90.20	Yarn of wool, colored (dyed or printed) and cut into uniform lengths of not over 8 cm	Free		Free
5109.90.80	Other	6%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	55.5%

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Heading/ Subheading	Article Description	Rates of Duty		
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		General	Special	
5110.00.00	Yarn of coarse animal hair or of horsehair (including gimped horsehair yarn), whether or not put up for retail sale	Free		20%
5111	Woven fabrics of carded wool or of carded fine animal hair:			
	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of wool or of fine animal hair:			
5111.11	Of a weight not exceeding 300 g/m ² :			
5111.11.20	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics of a weight not exceeding 140 g/m ²	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
	Other:			
5111.11.30	Hand-woven, with a loom width of less than 76 cm	10%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	\$1.10/kg + 60%
5111.11.70	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5111.19	Other:			
5111.19.10	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
	Other:			
5111.19.20	Hand-woven, with a loom width of less than 76 cm	10%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	\$1.10/kg + 60%
5111.19.60	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5111.20	Other, mixed mainly or solely with man-made filaments:			
5111.20.25	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5111.20.90	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	48.5¢/kg + 68.5%
5111.30	Other, mixed mainly or solely with man-made staple fibers:			
5111.30.25	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5111.30.90	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	48.5¢/kg + 68.5%
5111.90	Other:			
5111.90.30	Containing 30 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste, valued over \$33/kg	6.9%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	80%
	Other:			
5111.90.55	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5111.90.90	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%

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Heading/ Subheading	Article Description	Rates of Duty		
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		General	Special	
5112	Woven fabrics of combed wool or of combed fine animal hair:			
	Containing 85 percent or more by weight of wool or of fine animal hair:			
5112.11	Of a weight not exceeding 200g/m ² :			
5112.11.10	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics of a weight not exceeding 140 g/m ²	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5112.11.20	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5112.19	Other:			
5112.19.20	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5112.19.90	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5112.20	Other, mixed mainly or solely with man-made filaments:			
5112.20.25	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5112.20.30	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	48.5¢/kg + 68.5%
5112.30	Other, mixed mainly or solely with man-made staple fibers:			
5112.30.25	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5112.30.30	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	48.5¢/kg + 68.5%
5112.90	Other:			
5112.90.30	Containing 30 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste, valued over \$33/kg	6.9%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	80%
5112.90.55	Other:			
5112.90.55	Tapestry fabrics and upholstery fabrics	7%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5112.90.90	Other	25%	Free (CA,IL,MX)	68.5%
5113.00.00	Woven fabrics of coarse animal hair or of horsehair	2.7%	Free (A,CA,E,IL, J,MX)	40%

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Concordance and Change Record

(Changes Indicated with Bold Type)

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Chapter Note Changes:

Add: Redesignate Add. USN 2(e) as (d) and 2(f) as (e)

Delete: Add. USN 2(d)

1998 Tariff Line(s):	Proposed Tariff Line(s):	2004 Col. 1 Duty Rate:	Proposed Duty Rate:
5101.11.10	5101.11.25	Free	Free
5101.11.20	5101.11.25	Free	Free
5101.11.40	5101.11.25	Free	Free
5101.11.50	5101.11.25	Free	Free
5101.11.60	5101.11.60	18.7¢/clean kg	18.7¢/clean kg
5101.19.10	5101.19.25	Free	Free
5101.19.20	5101.19.25	Free	Free
5101.19.40	5101.19.25	Free	Free
5101.19.50	5101.19.25	Free	Free
5101.19.60	5101.19.60	18.7¢/clean kg	18.7¢/clean kg
5101.21.10	5101.21.25	Free	Free
5101.21.15	5101.21.25	Free	Free
5101.21.30	5101.21.25	Free	Free
5101.21.35	5101.21.25	Free	Free
5101.21.40	5101.21.40	20.6¢/clean kg	20.6¢/clean kg
5101.21.65	5101.21.80	Free	Free
5101.21.70	5101.21.80	6.5¢/kg + 5.3%	Free
5101.29.10	5101.29.25	Free	Free

1998 Tariff Line(s):	Proposed Tariff Line(s):	2004 Col. 1 Duty Rate:	Proposed Duty Rate:
5101.29.15	5101.29.25	Free	Free
5101.29.30	5101.29.25	Free	Free
5101.29.35	5101.29.25	Free	Free
5101.29.40	5101.29.40	20.6¢/clean kg	20.6¢/clean kg
5101.29.65	5101.29.80	Free	Free
5101.29.70	5101.29.80	6.5¢/kg + 5.3%	Free
5101.30.10	5101.30.25	Free	Free
5101.30.15	5101.30.25	Free	Free
5101.30.30	5101.30.25	Free	Free
5101.30.40	5101.30.40	24.4¢/kg	24.4¢/kg
5101.30.65	5101.30.80	Free	Free
5101.30.70	5101.30.80	6.5¢/kg + 5.3%	Free
5102.10.20	5102.10.25	5¢/cl. kg	5¢/cl. kg
5102.10.40	5102.10.25	5.1¢/cl. kg	5.1¢/cl. kg
5102.10.60	5102.10.25	0.4%	5.1¢/cl. kg
5102.10.80	5102.10.80	Free	Free
5102.10.90	5102.10.90	4.9¢/kg + 4%	4.9¢/kg + 4%
5102.20.00	5102.20.00	Free	Free
5103.10.00	5103.10.00	2.6¢/kg	2.6¢/kg
5103.20.00	5103.20.00	2.6¢/kg	2.6¢/kg
5103.30.00	5103.30.00	7%	7%
5104.00.00	5104.00.00	Free	Free
5105.10.00	5105.10.00	6.5¢/kg + 5.3%	6.5¢/kg + 5.3%
5105.21.00	5105.21.00	3.7¢/kg + 3%	3.7¢/kg + 3%

1998 Tariff Line(s):	Proposed Tariff Line(s):	2004 Col. 1 Duty Rate:	Proposed Duty Rate:
5105.29.00	5105.29.00	3.9¢/kg + 3.1%	3.9¢/kg + 3.1%
5105.30.00	5105.30.00	6.8¢/kg + 5.5%	6.8¢/kg + 5.5%
5105.40.00	5105.40.00	Free	Free
5106.10.00	5106.10.00	6%	6%
5106.20.00	5106.20.00	6%	6%
5107.10.00	5107.10.00	6%	6%
5107.20.00	5107.20.00	6%	6%
5108.10.30	5108.10.00	4%	4%
5108.10.60	5108.10.00	4%	4%
5108.20.30	5108.20.00	4%	4%
5108.20.60	5108.20.00	4%	4%
5109.10.20	5109.10.20	Free	Free
5109.10.40	5109.10.80	4%	6%
5109.10.60	5109.10.80	6%	6%
5109.90.20	5109.90.20	Free	Free
5109.90.40	5109.90.80	4%	6%
5109.90.60	5109.90.80	6%	6%
5110.00.00	5110.00.00	Free	Free
5111.11.20	5111.11.20	7%	7%
5111.11.30	5111.11.30	10%	10%
5111.11.70	5111.11.70	25%	25%
5111.19.10	5111.19.10	7%	7%
5111.19.20	5111.19.20	10%	10%
5111.19.60	5111.19.60	25%	25%
5111.20.05	5111.20.25	7%	7%
5111.20.10	5111.20.25	7%	7%

1998 Tariff Line(s):	Proposed Tariff Line(s):	2004 Col. 1 Duty Rate:	Proposed Duty Rate:
5111.20.90	5111.20.90	25%	25%
5111.30.05	5111.30.25	7%	7%
5111.30.10	5111.30.25	7%	7%
5111.30.90	5111.30.90	25%	25%
5111.90.30	5111.90.30	6.9%	6.9%
5111.90.40	5111.90.55	7%	7%
5111.90.50	5111.90.55	7%	7%
5111.90.90	5111.90.90	25%	25%
5112.11.10	5112.11.10	7%	7%
5112.11.20	5112.11.20	25%	25%
5112.19.20	5112.19.20	7%	7%
5112.19.90	5112.19.90	25%	25%
5112.20.10	5112.20.25	7%	7%
5112.20.20	5112.20.25	7%	7%
5112.20.30	5112.20.30	25%	25%
5112.30.10	5112.30.25	7%	7%
5112.30.20	5112.30.25	7%	7%
5112.30.30	5112.30.30	25%	25%
5112.90.30	5112.90.30	6.9%	6.9%
5112.90.40	5112.90.55	7%	7%
5112.90.50	5112.90.55	7%	7%
5112.90.90	5112.90.90	25%	25%
5113.00.00	5113.00.00	2.7%	2.7%